SPHALT COMPOSITIONS AND THE PRODUCT RESULTING

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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- ☐ Additional documents filed herewith:

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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

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SIR:

Responsive to the Office Action dated July 29, 2003, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendment and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Discussion of the Amendment begins on page 7 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.